

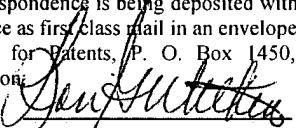


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Docket No.: KYOKA-2-PCT/Minori

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re: Application of : Kyoko INAO

Serial No. : 10/564,695

Group Art Unit:

Filed : January 11, 2006

Examiner:

For : PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ARTIFICIAL  
FLOWER WITH NATURAL PLANT AND  
FINISHING AGENT FOR USE THEREIN

New York, New York  
February 10, 2006

**SECOND**  
**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and before examination, kindly amend the above captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Complete Listing of the Claims and begin on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this Preliminary Amendment.